

list so furnished by the overseers, the number of days assessed to each person for highway labor, and also a description of each tract of land, and the name of the owner, if known, with the valuation thereof, as taken from the assessment roll of the previous year, and the amount of road tax assessed thereon, in a separate column; the list so prepared shall be signed by the supervisors and deposited with the town clerk to be filed in his office.

SEC. 2. This act shall take effect from and after its passage.

Approved March 6. 1877.

CHAPTER 238.

AN ACT TO MAKE PAUPERS A TOWN CHARGE IN CARVER COUNTY.

Be it enacted by the Legislature of the State of Minnesota:

SECTION 1. Each township in the county of Carver, in this State, shall take care of, and bear the expense of its own poor or paupers, in the same way or manner, so far as applicable, as is now provided for counties to take care of its poor or paupers.

SEC. 2. All applications for aid shall be made to the board of township supervisors, under oath of two (2) credible persons, and upon a proper case being made out for aid to care for a poor person or pauper, the supervisors, or a majority of them, shall order such sum of money or other thing, as they deem best, to be paid to such poor person or pauper, at such time and manner as may be deemed necessary.

SEC. 3. The county treasurer of said county shall refund to the town treasurer of each township, the amount of poor fund in his hands, or that may come into his hands, belonging to each town, or collected from each town.

SEC. 4. The general laws of this State, as to residence of poor persons, in order to obtain aid from counties, shall apply to townships in Carver county, and the rule applied to residence in the county shall apply to residence of poor in towns.

SEC. 5. The township board of supervisors shall be superintendents of the poor in their respective townships, and take charge of such paupers, to the exclusion of the county commissioners of said Carver county. *Provided, however,* that if, upon due application, aid is refused to any poor person or pauper by the board of supervisors, the party having applied for the same may appeal from the decision of the board to the chairman of the board of

county commissioners, who shall notify the chairman of the board of supervisors of the fact that such appeal has been made. The latter shall thereupon give in writing the reasons which caused the board of supervisors to refuse aid to such person, and the chairman of the county board shall then investigate the matter, and lay the whole case before the county board at its next meeting, and if the county board shall deem the applicant entitled to relief, they shall order the board of supervisors to furnish such relief, and in such amount and manner as they may deem just and right.

SEC. 6. If any county physician is appointed by the board of county commissioners, said physician shall, upon the direction of any county commissioner, or of the chairman of the board of supervisors of any town, attend upon and prescribe for all sick poor persons requiring medical aid, who are entitled to receive relief from the town in which they live.

SEC. 7. That this act shall take effect and be in force from and after the first day of January, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-eight (1878).

Approved March 5, 1877.

CHAPTER 239.

AN ACT FOR AN ACT TO FIX THE SALARY OF THE COUNTY AUDITOR OF THE COUNTY OF NICOLLET.

Be it enacted by the Legislature of the State of Minnesota :

SECTION 1. The county auditor of the county of Nicollet shall be entitled to receive and shall be paid out of the county treasury of the county of Nicollet, the sum of fifteen hundred dollars (\$1,500) per annum, to be paid monthly or quarterly, as the county commissioners of said county may direct, on the county auditor's warrant. Said fifteen hundred dollars (\$1,500) per annum shall be in full of all services of said county auditor, including clerk hire, and no greater sum or amount shall be allowed or paid him for his said services.

SEC. 2. This act shall take effect and be in force from and after March 1st, 1877.

Approved March 3, 1877.